

SENATE BILL 2866

By Burchett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section  
39-17-1307, relative to unlawful carrying or  
possession of a weapon.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1307, is amended by deleting subsection (b) and substituting instead the following:

(b)

(1) A person commits an offense who possesses a handgun and has been convicted of a felony.

(2) An offense under subdivision (b)(1) is a Class E felony.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.